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"Suspects Arrested for Malicious Fires"

The City of Morgantown in its continuing effort to thwart malicious fires in the city conducted joint operations with members of the Morgantown Police Department and Members of the City of Morgantown Fire Marshall's Office.

On May 5, 2012, Mark David Euga Jr., 20 years of age was arrested at the corner of North Spruce Street and Fife Street as he was throwing combustible items on a street fire. Mr. Euga was also charged with underage consumption at the time of this incident.

On May 5, 2012, Kyle G. Whelen, 20 years of age was arrested at the corner of Dallas and Forest Street as he was throwing a couch on a street fire. Mr. Whelen was also charged with underage consumption at the time of this incident.

On May 5, 2012, Justin David Myers, 21 years of age was cited for throwing combustible material onto a fire that was burning in a dumpster at the corner of 3rd Avenue and McClain Alley.

Anyone with information regarding these fires or any other criminal activity is asked to call the Morgantown Police Department Detectives Unit at (304) 284-7454 or the Morgantown Fire Marshall's Office at (304)284-7486.

The Morgantown Police Department is committed to its goal of eliminating crime in our city. Citizens are encouraged to become a **"Partner in Policing"**, by reporting suspected criminal activity to Morgantown Police Department Switchboard at (304) 284-7522. If you need immediate Police attention or a crime is in progress call 911.

Ed Preston, Chief of Police